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CROOKED WORK.

Done by Edward M. Field.

THE GRAND JURY INDICTS HIM.

Insurance Rates Raised on Mercantile Houses.

Report of Famine in Mexico Unfounded.

Crooked Transactions.
By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec 18.—As the investigation by District Attorney Nicoll, in the failure of Field, Lindley, Wiechers & Co. progresses, the horizon darkens for Edward M. Field. So far as discovered the crooked transactions of the defunct firm foot up nearly $400,000. This involves many well known creditors of the partnership admitted by Field. To-day's indictment against Field for forgery is based on the bill of a leading transaction.

Following is the statement made by Krauth, Nachod & Kuhne, relative to their connection with the Field-Lindley failure: "It seems that Reuter, of Hamburg, an uncle of Weicher, one of the partners of the defunct firm, inherited $108,000 from the Weicher's estate. This money was left in Weicher's hands, and the latter used it in speculation. He reported to his uncle that inside of sixty days the money realized $8,000 aside from the interest; the uncle, however, pressed Weicher for the money. The latter on behalf of the firm made out one day a sight draft for 489,000 marks on a firm in Mannheim, Germany, where Field & Lindley had no balance. They counted upon covering this draft by a cable transfer; to obtain the latter, there being no funds, forgery was resorted to. On November 2nd Field & Lindley arranged that we make a cable transfer of 498,000 marks (equal to $118,000) to the firm in Mannheim, at the same time buy their 30 days' sight bill of 325,000 marks on the same firm in Mannheim, such bill being accompanied by shipping documents for 74,000 bushels of wheat per steamship Triumph. Some days previously they sold us a similar bill of 190,000 marks on the same firm, accompanied by a shipping document for 43,000 bushels of wheat per steamship Dolcouth. All these shipping documents have since turned out forgeries, as there were no such steamships in port at the time, and no such wheat. Fortunately, we discovered the forgery before the draft was presented and were able to stop the payment."

It was for the above transaction that Field was to-day indicted.

The Report Untrue.
By Associated Press.]

CITY OF MEXICO, Dec. 18.—Reports come from reliable sources in every State of the Republic to the effect that the rumors of the great distress caused by famine, and of rioting by the impoverished people are untrue. In Chihuahua, Durango, Zacatecas, Chiapas and Potosi the crops failed, causing some suffering, but measures for the relief of the needy have already been taken. There has been no actual starvation reported in any of these States. The Federal and State Governments and private individuals are importing sufficient provisions to supply all needs. The exaggerated reports have been sent to Europe regarding the suffering in the different States. Not a State has asked for outside help. An English syndicate is buying up coffee lands in Tamalipas.

Rates Advanced.
By Associated Press.]

MINNEAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—Local insurance agents have received instructions from their home officers that, dating from to-day, the rates on risks on wholesale mercantile establishments be advanced from 20 to 40 per cent. This advance is to be general all over the country as a result of the alarming prevalency of this year's disastrous fires in jobbing establishments. The companies declare that losses from these fires more than absorbed all the premiums paid during the year on all classes of risks.

Troops Ordered Out.
By Associated Press.]

DENVER, Dec. 18.—Troops have been ordered to "Crested Butte" and will leave as soon as possible.

The Sheriff's posse patrolled Crested Butte all night. The strikers were turbulent, but no actual violence was offered. The rumor of troops being ordered there cannot be definitely verified.

New Baseball League.
By Associated Press.]

INDIANAPOLIS, Dec. 18.—The consolidated ball leagues, now known as the National League and American Association, adjourned at 4 o'clock this morning, having received final reports of the committees, terminated their affairs and dissolved. At a meeting that lasted all last night Nick Young was elected President, Secretary and Treasurer of the new league, and Zach Phelps was chosen Solicitor. The headquarters will remain as in the old league, at Washington.

The Board of Directors were drawn by lot, and was composed of members equally from the eastern and western circuits. The members are: Brush, Cincinnati; Vonderahe, St. Louis; Hart, Chicago; Soden, Boston; Vanderbeurg, Baltimore, and Scanlon, Washington. President Young has yet to name the schedule and playing rules.

The committee of the new league was organized on an ironclad ten-year basis, and no club can be dropped without the unanimous consent of the clubs, including the one to be dropped, and a three-fourths vote is necessary to change the constitution. The terms of settlement with the clubs dropped are said to have been satisfactory to all parties. The exact figures cannot be given out for some time, but it is understood that Boston received $37,500, Philadelphia $43,000, Columbus $16,000, Chicago $13,000, and Milwaukee $6,000.

Labor Convention.
By Associated Press.]

BIRMINGHAM (Ala.), Dec. 18.—The convention of the American Federation of Labor adopted a resolution at its morning session favoring a woman suffrage amendment to the constitution. The convention refused to adopt the resolution recommending political action on the part of Trades Unions. A resolution was passed demanding that no further subsidy be paid the Pacific Mail Steamship Company unless that company discharges all the Chinese and Japanese in its service; also a resolution to amend the shipping act of 1890 so as to make vessels liable to damages for cruelty to sailors at the hands of officers. The election of officers will take place late this afternoon.

Louisiana Convention.
By Associated Press.]

BATON ROUGE, Dec. 18.—The Farmers Alliance and the anti-lottery factions in a combined convention last night adopted a platform and nominated a State ticket. They also provided for the appointment of a new State Central Committee, and adjourned sine die. The platform adopted declares allegiance to Democratic principles, praises the present State government and concludes with a declaration of unalterable opposition to lotteries and the adoption of the proposed revenue amendments to the constitution. The combined candidates are now in caucus mapping out a plan for the campaign.

Grand Jury Indictment.
By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The Grand Jury to-day returned an indictment against Edward M. Field, of the defunct firm of Field, Lindley, Weichers & Co., charging him with forgery in the second degree. The indictment is predicated on a statement made by the bankers Knauth, Nacod & Kuhne.

Collision in a Tunnel.
By Associated Press.]

SHAMOKIN (Pa.), Dec. 18.—A collision occurred in a tunnel on the Catawissa branch of the Reading Railroad this morning, by which four persons were killed and several injured.

AT THE OAKLAND STATIONS.

Deputy Comstock Says the Strike Is Spreading.

The San Francisco *Chronicle* says: At the Oakland mole yesterday the situation remained the same, the operators staying at their posts. These men, however, are all members of the order. At the pier the officials denied that any men had left the Western Division. This statement, the telegraphers say, is not true, but that the operators at East Oakland, Fruitvale, Peralta street, the freight yard, the agents and operators at San Leandro, San Lorenzo, Siege, Antioch and Elmira, all stopped work. At San Jose six men are reported out. The operators at Brentwood and Tracy Junction are also reported out. Deputy Chief Comstock reported last night that about twelve men are out on Wilder's division, and about sixty to seventy-five men all told along the line. The Oregon express was three hours late and the Los Angeles express an hour and a half yesterday.

The company reports that the places of the strikers are filled by other men, but this is denied by Deputy Grand Chief Comstock, who states that the company have not got the men to use. Comstock issued a bulletin last night in which he states that the strike is spreading rapidly; that every hour brings news of new additions to the ranks of the strikers. The operators, he says, are beginning to realise that they are battling for their rights. The formation of the federation at St. Louis yesterday, he says, makes their success an assured thing.

OPERATORS STRIKE

Extending to Other Railroads.

DEEP WATERWAYS CONVENTION.

Pullman Buys Nicaragua Canal Stock.

Two Negroes Shot by a Mob in Florida.

The Nicaragua Canal.
By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—It was told yesterday by President Warner Miller of the Nicaragua Canal Co. that George M. Pullman within 48 hours had become a large stockholder in that enterprise. Pullman was a warm personal friend of General Grant, who talked with him of the projected canal when it was on the boards that General Grant should be President of the company and General George McClellan Chief Engineer. Pullman then stood ready to back the enterprise largely. It has incidentally leaked out that a large syndicate of gentlemen, with whom General Alger of Michigan is associated in heavy timber land investments on the Pacific Coast, was interested through its individual members in the Nicaraguan scheme. It is said that with the canal open the great forests of the Pacific Coast would send lumber to the Atlantic seaboard cheaper than it can now be brought from Michigan, Maine or Canada.

Deep Waterways Convention.
By Associated Press.]

DETROIT, Dec. 18.—When the Deep Waterways Convention re-assembled this morning the Committee on Resolutions introduced a memorial to Congress, urging that that body authorize an immediate commencement and a speedy completion of an obstruction channel, not less than twenty feet in depth and of sufficient width, through the lakes and their connecting waters between Chicago, Duluth, Superior and Buffalo; also that the Secretary of War be authorized to make contracts for the entire work, and that a sufficient sum of money be appropriated for the same. The memorial urges also that surveys be made for the best water route, twenty feet deep, from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic. The memorial was adopted by the convention.

The convention adjourned, leaving the Legislative Committee to devise means to bring the action of the convention before Congress.

Operators' Strike.
By Associated Press.]

OMAHA (Neb.), Dec. 18.—Orders were sent out yesterday to the telegraph operators working for the Fremont, Elkhorn & Missouri Valley Railroad, notifying the men that they must leave the Order of Railway Telegraphers or leave the service of the company. This morning the superintendent of the road received replies from several of the men, refusing to obey the order, and trouble is expected. Chief Thurston of the Railway Telegraphers has been notified and the matter will be brought before the local lodge to-night. It is said similar orders have been sent to all the men employed on the entire Chicago & Northwestern system.

Work of a Mob.
By Associated Press.]

LIVE OAK (Fla.), Dec. 18.—Just before 12 o'clock last night a mob of about 100 men, armed with rifles or revolvers, called on Sheriff Potsdamer, seized and overpowered him and took the keys to the county jail. After placing a guard over him they made a rush for the jail, and took from their cells two negroes suspected of the murder of young Parramare in the streets of Bradford last week. The prisoners were bound to trees a short distance from the jail and their bodies riddled with bullets.

Trip to Chicago.
By Associated Press.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 18.—At a meeting of the World's Fair representatives and members of Congress to-day it was arranged for a special train to take the members to Chicago, which will leave here to-morrow evening, arriving in Chicago Sunday night. Returning, they will leave for Washington Tuesday evening.

Choynski Wins.
Special to the GAZETTE]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Choynski whipped Woods in thirty-four rounds last night. Woods kept away from him most of the time.

San Francisco Items.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Early this month Henry Whitherbee, a wealthy lumber dealer, decided to bring his family to this city and left the family residence in Fruitvale in charge of a servant. On the 6th inst. the Fruitvale residence was entered by a burglar, who carried away silver ware, jewelry and clothing to the value of $200. This morning Gus Schafer, a discharged coachman, was arrested for the crime.

A daring attempt at burglary was committed last night in the produce store of Riley & Enos. Three young men drove up, and leaving one in charge of the wagon, the other two made their way over the roof and dropped into the store through a skylight. They succeeded in getting out a number of sacks of onions, beans and potatoes, and got away with a good sized wagon-load. Elated with their success, the men returned and filled their wagon again, when Sergeant Holmes and Officer Lake arrested them. They gave the names of George Oman, Harry Lester and Adolph Kruger. The hunt for the stolen goods resulted in Kruger also being locked up.

Judge Finn made an order to-day allowing Mrs. Hannah Liebes $600 for past expenses and $100 per week until further order of the court in the matter of the Liebes divorce suit.

Treaty with Germany.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

BERLIN, Dec. 18.—In the Reichstag the new commercial treaties came up on the third reading. Kerdorff spoke in opposition and expressed fears as to the results. Caprivi responded and said that if Kerdorff failed to see the political significance of the McKinley bill and Pan-American policy, he must decline to discuss the questions of foreign policy with him.

Treaties with Australia-Hungary, Italy and Belgium were adopted.

Pennsylvania Earthquake.
By Associated Press.]

HARRISBURG, Dec. 18.—A very perceptible earthquake shock was felt in this city and the surrounding towns at 8:30 o'clock this morning. No damage was done, but houses were shaken as by an explosion.

The supposed earthquake was caused by the explosion of 250 pounds of dynamite at Steelton. Nobody hurt.

Fire at Pittsburg.
By Associated Press.]

PITTSBURG, Dec. 18.—A fire broke out in the large wholesale millinery establishment of Porter, Donaldson & Co., on Liberty Avenue, this afternoon. The building was owned by B. F. Jones. Loss on the building, $25,000; on the stock, $125,000. The insurance on the stock is $79,000; on the building, $50,000.

Taken to Boston.
By Associated Press.

BOSTON, Dec. 18.—The remains of H. L. Norcross, the dynamiter, who tried to blow up Russell Sage are in the receiving tombs at Woodlawn cemetery, where they arrived this morning. The funeral will be private, as Mrs. Norcross fears the remains will be stolen.

Stock Market.
By Associated Press.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 18.—The stock market, after general activity, quieted down perceptibly, and at noon the prices were, in most cases, at about the opening figures. St. Paul & Duluth made an exceptional gain of 2¼. The sales up to noon were 186,000 shares.

A Diplomatists' Dinner.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

LONDON, Dec. 18.—John C. New, United States Consul General, presided at the annual banquet of the Association of Foreign Consuls last evening. Members of the London corporation and other prominent persons were present.

To Light by Electricity.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

NEVADA CITY, Dec. 18.—The Board of City Trustees last night awarded a contract for lighting the streets one year with the incandescent electric light system. The plant is to be erected immediately. Gas has heretofore been used.

Christmas at Osborne.
By Cable and Associated Press.]

LONDON, Dec. 18.—The Queen, Princess Beatrice and her children left Windsor Castle to-day and went to the Osborne House, on the Isle of Wight, where the Christmas holidays will be spent.

Trial Adjourned.
By Associated Press.]

DENVER, Dec. 18.—Judge Macon, for the defense, is ill to-day, and the Graves trial is adjourned until to-morrow.

Weather Report.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Forecast, rain in northern California.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Bar silver 95.

Representative Mills is much better.

Both the King and Queen of Denmark are suffering from the influenza.

The Right Rev. Edward Harold Browne, D. D., Bishop of Winchester, is dead.

Habbeman's tin factory, near Long Island City, was damaged by fire last night. Loss, $75,000.

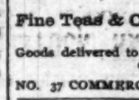
The liabilities of Bawtree, Deenay & Chazon, private bankers at Colchester, Eng., who suspended a short time ago, are £513,963; assets, £339,956.

Grain Market.
Special to the GAZETTE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 18.—Wheat, buyer season, $1 86.

MISCELLANEOUS.

FURNITURE



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THE Bulletin says: "Commissioner Carter of the General Land Office thinks that as most of the arable Government land capable of cultivation without irrigation has been taken up, the next great movement of home-seekers will be on the arid lands. In that event California would be likely to profit more than any other State, for in no other can agriculture by means of irrigation be carried on so profitably and under conditions of climate and social life so favorable to the settler."

Nevada offers inducements to the home-seeker that no other State in the Union offers. If any one wants arid land susceptible of being irrigated, that will grow anything known to thrive in the temperate zone, let them come to Nevada.

THE London guilds are getting up a subscription to build a house for the Duke of Clarence, the heir presumptive, and his bride. The guilds have large funds under their control, and, if they choose to divert them from the charitable and social purposes to which they are usually devoted, it is, perhaps, no outsider's business. The young Duke can hardly afford to marry, having only about $100,000 a year, but the British people will be asked to give his bride a handsome dot, and with the help of the guilds the couple may be able to set up housekeeping and rub along somehow, especially if the Dutchess will do her own dressmaking, as her mother-in-law did before her marriage.

A QUAKER delegation sent to investigate the Russian famine has been denied access to provincial authorities. By rights there should be no concealment of the true state of affairs; but, putting ourselves in Russia's place, it is easy to imagine that we might resent investigation of our domestic affairs by self-constituted commissions of inquiry. Had Russia asked outside aid, the case would be different, but she has not. The work of relief may be badly done, but, such as it is, she has asked no assistance in doing it.

JAMAICA has decided to accept the terms of reciprocity offered by the United States. This completes the series of trade agreements with the British West Indies. There may yet be a question whether the Imperial Government will ratify what has been done. It may say, as in the case of Newfoundland, that the privilege of negotiating does not include the approval of negotiations.

IF the editor of the GAZETTE should take the Hepley postoffice he fears the venerable and time-serving editor of the Journal would have to rely upon the generosity of Republican United States Senators to compensate him for his work in their behalf in the past, and therefore declines. It is barely possible, however, that he has already been "rewarded."

CUSTOMS officials along the Mexican frontier have been instructed to use extra vigilance to prevent the entry of the Mongolian horde now en route to the United States from Tehauntepec through Mexico. It is probable that more officers, as well as more vigilance, will be needed. The army of invasion is between one and two thousand strong.

IF any one doubts the littleness of the Journal's political ideas, let him read the following and draw his own conclusions:

It is noticeable that the President made no appointments for Circuit Judges in California, though there are two vacancies. It is possible that at the instigation of the boodlers, he withheld the appointments to influence the decision in the Grand Jury case.

IT is now declared by official authority that the reports of trichina in American pork in Germany are unfounded. Evidently the reports were put out by the press at the instance of German pork-growers who find their profits cut down by American competition. That has all along been at the bottom of German prohibition.

TRAVELING IN EUROPE.

Good Meals Served on Trains at Less Cost Than in This Country.

I had a meal on Mr. Depew's road the other day which cost me a dollar, says a writer in the Detroit Free Press. I gave a quarter to the colored waiter who brought me the dollar's worth, and he looked at it as though he had never seen such a small coin before and wondered what it was used for. He little suspected that I usually had my midday meal for a quarter in Detroit. Now, Mr. Depew, let me tell you what happened to me a few weeks ago on one of the despised government lines in Europe. I took the morning train from Basel or Basle in Switzerland to Mayence in Germany, the train belonging to the Baden states. The conductor came along, and, after taking my ticket, gave me a slip of paper on which was printed in four languages the following information: I was to tell the conductor whether at a certain point I wanted dinner, and if so how many of them. The dinner, the paper went on to say, consisted of two kinds of meat, roast chicken, three kinds of vegetables, bread, butter, cheese, pudding and a half bottle of either white or red wine. The cost of this would be about fifty cents, and all this in a country where provisions are very much dearer than they are in America. There were two of us, and we ordered two dinners. The conductor pasted the figure "two" on the window of the compartment.

When we came to the place where the dinners were to be had waiters came rushing along the platform with the dinners on wooden trays, which the paper aforementioned said would serve an excellent table for two people by merely sitting opposite each other and placing the board upon their knees. Exceedingly clean table linen accompanied the spread. The waiters attended only to those who had the numbers on their windows, and into each compartment they put the number of dinners indicated on the window.

The trouble with American railways is that they seem to look on a traveler as merely a victim to be fleeced. A man without a long purse has to put up with mighty poor accommodations. The only exception that I know of is the Canadian Pacific, where in ordinary cars they bring around very good coffee and fresh sandwiches at extremely reasonable rates. This is a kink that might be followed with advantage on American roads.

CRUEL DECEPTION.

Practical Joke Played on a Young Lady Visiting Cape Cod.

The practical joke played on a young lady who recently visited the cape will, no doubt, in time come to her ears, so it may as well be told here, says the Cape Cod Item. Her brother, who is full of mischief, informed her privately after her arrival that the residents of the cape pronounced marsh mash, and that it would be an exhibition of good taste on her part if she used the cape pronunciation while here. The good-natured girl adopted the suggestion, and rather astonished a young man a few days later by saying to him:

"I suppose as you live nere you are on the mash a good deal."

Thinking that she had reference to the fact that the female is rather in excess of the male population, he could only stammer:

"Well, er, no, I can't say that I am."

"That is rather strange," said she; "if I were you I would be. Indeed," she continued, as she cast her eyes over the expanse of green flat spread out before her, "I think you are fortunate to have such a chance."

Perspiring and blushing to the roots of his hair, he blurted out:

"I would like to go on it, certainly, but the young ladies here are so very modest and proper in their conduct that—that, well, it wouldn't do, don't you know."

"I don't see what that has to do with it," she answered, turning away from him, as much astonished at his language as he was at hers.

OLD INSOMNIA CURES.

Though Afraid of the Breath They Ordered All Windows Closed.

To bedward be ye merry, or have merry company about you, so that, to bedward, no anger nor heaviness, sornes nor pensifulness do trouble or disquiet. To bedward and also in the morning, have a fire in your chamber, to waste and consume the evil vapors within the chamber, for the breath of man may putrify the air within the chamber, says a health book, published in 1542.

In the night let the windows of your house, specially of your chamber, be closed; when you be in your bed, lie a little while on your left side and sleep on your right side. And when you do wake of your first sleep, then sleep on the left side, and, look, so often as you do awake, so often turn yourself in the bed from one side to the other.

To sleep on the back upward is utterly to be abhorred. When that you do sleep, let not your neck, neither your shoulders, neither your hands, nor feet, nor no other place of your body, lie bare undiscovered. Sleep not with an empty stomach, nor sleep not after that you have eaten meat, one hour or two after.

No Illiterates in Bavaria.

According to the late military statistics there are no illiterate persons in Bavaria. Among 2,722 recruits enlisted in the army in the Palatinate there were only three individuals who could not read or write. But that district forms no exception to the rule. The general number of recruits from the entire population was 20,584, and among them were only six illiterate persons. Of the three illiterates of the Palatinate one came from Lower Bavaria and two from Upper Franconia. Oberpfalz, Central Franconia, Lower Franconia and Swaben did not get a single illiterate into the army.

When Japan Was in Darkness.

Two centuries ago the traveler in Japan, had such been allowed, would have seen in public places the following declaration in Chinese characters: "As long as the sun shall warm the earth, let no Christian be so bold as to come to Japan; and let all know that the king of Spain himself, or the Christian's God, or the Great God of all, if He violate this command, shall pay for it with his head."

MISCELLANEOUS.

Old People.

J. V. S. is the only Sarsaparilla that old or feeble people should take, as the mineral potash which is in every other Sarsaparilla that we know of, is under certain conditions known to be emaciating. J. V. S. on the contrary is purely vegetable and stimulates digestion and creates new blood, the very thing for old delicate or broken down people. It builds them up and prolongs their lives. A case in point:

Mrs. Belden an estimable and elderly lady of 510 Mason St., S. F. was for months declining so rapidly as to seriously alarm her family. It got so bad that she was finally afflicted with fainting spells. She writes: "While in that dangerous condition I saw some of the testimonials concerning J. V. S. and sent for a bottle. That marked the turning point. I regained my lost flesh and strength and have not felt so well in years." That was two years ago and Mrs. Belden is well and hearty to-day, and still taking J. V. S.

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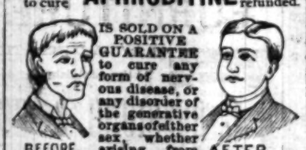

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TIME TABLES.

The following tables give the time of arrival and departure of passenger trains at Reno

ARRIVE.	TRAINS—C. P.	LEAVE.
6:15 p. m.	No. 1, Eastbound Ex.	10:30 p. m
8:10 a. m.	No. 3, Eastbound Ex.	9:20 a. m.
9:30 a. m.	No. 2, Westbound Ex.	10:00 a. m.
10:20 p. m.	No. 4, Westbound Ex.	10:30 p. m
	V. & T.	
8:15 p. m.	No. 1, Virginia Ex.	
	No. 2, S. F. Express.	8:25 a. m.
	No. 3, Local Passengr	1:45 p. m.
11:45 a. m.	No. 4, Local Passengr	
	N. & C.	
	Express and Freight.	9:45 a. m.
1:40 p. m.	Express and Freight.	

Time of Arrival and Departure of Mails at Reno.

MAIL FOR	CLOSES. A.M.	CLOSES. P.M.	ARRIVES A.M.	ARRIVES P.M.
San Francisco and Sacramento (through p'ch	9:30		8:10	.....
San Francisco, Sacto and intermediate points	.....	8:00	8:10	.....
Ogden, all eastern points V. & T. and all southern points	7:30	.....	.....	10:20
Stanville and all points north	7:30	.....	.....	8:45
Buffalo Meadows, Sheephead every Monday (Arrive every Saturday)	9:30	.....	.....	3:40

JOTTINGS.

Stamping done, and lessons given in art needle work. All orders promptly filled at "The Empress."

Housekeeper—"What makes butter so high now?" Dealer—"Th' oleomargarine laws, mum." At the Riverside only the freshest of dairy butter is served.

"Have you had the grip?" asked one Washington citizen to another. "Grip!" was the reply. "I should say so. It seems to me that I have had two or three cable cars and a power-house." J. J. Becker's beer is a preventive for the grip.

Much Worse Off—Raggles—Don't beg there. Them folks is wuss off than we are. Berry Ben—They don't show it. Raggles—Oh, I know 'em. They're trying to cut a dash on $2,400 a year and five children to feed. Go to J. F. Aitken and order your wood.

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Is one which is guaranteed to bring you satisfactory results, or in case of failure a return of purchase price. On this safe plan you can buy from our advertised druggists a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. It is guaranteed to bring relief in every case, when used for any affection of Throat, Lungs or Chest, such as Consumption, Inflamation of Lungs, Bronchitis, Asthma, Whooping cough, croup, and etc., etc. It is pleasant and agreeable to taste, perfectly safe, and can always be depended upon.

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BRANDRETH'S PILLS are the great blood purifier. They are a purgative and blood tonic, they act equally on the bowels, the kidneys, and the skin, thus cleansing the system by the natural outlet of the body—they may be called the purgative andorific and diurretic medicine. They stimulate the blood so as to enable nature to throw off all morbid humors, and cure disease no matter by what name it may be called. One or two of them taken every night will prove an infallible remedy.

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The best salve in the world for cuts, bruises, ulcers, salt rheum, fever sores, chappe hands, chilblains, corns and all skin eruptions and positively cures piles or no pay required. It is guaranteed to give perfect satisfaction, or money refunded. Price 25 cents per box. For sale by Wm. Pinniger. apr2dw13

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ANOTHER ROAD.

The Distance from Reno to Carson Reduced to Twenty Miles.

Washoe, Franktown and the Farmers of Washoe Valley Brought to the Edge of Our City Limits.

The writer does not expect nor even has the slightest idea that the people of this community will erect a statue to his memory, nor even inscribe his name on a simple tablet, for the suggestions offered in times past, or set out in the following, for the benefit of the town and county. And it must be admitted that his financial standing and "flooence," as our friend Thompson calls it, is limited, yet more than one idea has eminated from his disordered brain that has, after due consideration by the solid men of the town, found favor and has become a solid reality, while others are in a fair way to become established facts; so as long as encouragement is offered why not go on with the good work? At divers and sundry times, occasion has made it necessary for him to traverse the roads from Reno to Carson, and it has often been a wonder that the distance by the wagon roads had not been shortened something over ten miles, thereby bringing the southern extremity of the county much nearer the county seat, and Carson only "twenty miles away." The road to Tahoe via Galena creek is almost a settled thing. Why not go farther and extend a branch road from the Tahoe road into Washoe Valley, crossing the plateau directly back of Huffaker's or Brown's, bearing west of Galena mountain, passing the old town of Galena, thence down the hill to Washoe City, thereby shortening the distance to Washoe City and valley something over seven miles; go farther still, obtain the right of way paralleling the V. & T. R. R. from Franktown to Lake View, saving about three miles, making the distance between Reno and Carson, by wagon road, about twenty miles, over a pleasant and interesting road. And while adding Carson to our suburbs, it would in a great measure take from Carson what rightfully belongs to Reno—the trade of Washoe valley. If the farmers at the south end of the county could drive from their homes in a couple or three hours, they would come to town oftener and do much of their trading here; besides, it would afford them a market that is now too far away to be of much benefit to them. By opening this road the good people of Washoe, Sauers, Winters, Thompson, Billy Price, Ross Lewers and many other farmers would be brought almost within hailing distance of Reno. Such propositions are worth looking into. If our merchants want to make business, they should devise ways and means to bring it to them or encourage it to come. If highways can be built that will bring the out-lying districts of the county closer to the town, thereby accommodating those that live at a distance, besides bringing business to the town, it is not a waste of the public funds, for such public benefits are to the interest of every taxpayer, directly or indirectly. It affords a market for the farmer living at a distance, it brings trade to the merchants in the town, it opens up a district in the county to settlement, increasing the wealth and productiveness of the community, and does not in the least sense detract from any other part of the county. Boomed towns of California advertise their roads and highways, their close relations with the country trade, etc. None of them have any better opportunities than Reno. Ever and anon there are schemes proposed to improve the county, inviting capital and settlers, money is spent in inquiring into these propositions, but after long waiting they fail to come to the surface, or fritter away and are forgotten. Small matters like drawing the scattering dollars from the distant confines of our own county into the center of the whirl of business in the town are poohed at, and the dollars are thrown off the edge of the disc, and some adjoining county pick them up. A little outlay will sometimes bring quick returns, and the percentage of profit foots up to a larger balance on the right side than many of the big schemes with high sounding corporative names, their capital on all paper, and their expenses more than twice their revenue. Reno has had two or three experiences of this kind. Give outsiders inducements to come to your town, by shortening distances, cutting expenses, and they will come not only to sell their products but to trade, to seek for pastime, amusement and hear the news. All will leave a dollar or two in town and will come often. Think it over, and while making one improvement add to its utility, by extending it, where it will do the greatest good to the greatest number.

The Voice of the People

Reaches us—or should do so—through the ballot-box. This is the medium thought which it ought to speak in clarion tones. But there are other means by which the people voice their sentiments, irrespective of politics, considering matters of vital importance. Successful or unsuccessful are those admonitions as they are heard distinctly or faintly. But health, the grand desideratum, appeals to us all. The avenue is only cleared when the obstacles which bar its complete recovery are swept aside. Hostetter's Stomach Bitters has for nearly a third of a century occupied the first rank among proprietary remedies for debility, dyspepsia, constipation, disorder of the liver and kidneys, and as an affectual means of conquering and preventing malarial complaints. Since the advent of "la grippe" it has also signalized itself as a cure of the complaint.

Whooping Cough.

There is no danger from Whooping Cough when Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is freely given. It keeps the cough loose and makes expectoration easy. 50 cent bottles for sale by J. B. McCullough, druggist.

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence.

Call at the Merchant's Exchange for hot winter drinks.

Tourists are reaching Los Angeles at the rate of about 400 a day.

The total value of the taxable property of Oregon is $126,000,000.

Look out for the masquerade ball Christmas night at Armory Hall.

Alvaro Evans, who broke his collar bone the other day, is getting along well.

Examine John Sunderland's elegant stock before purchasing of your presents elsewhere.

Quite a quantity of Xmas presents came up from San Francisco by this morning's express.

The farmers of Indiana will petition the Legislature to reduce the State railroad fare to 2 cents a mile.

John Belz is the only barber in town who runs three chairs and does not keep his customers waiting.

Get your photographs for Christmas now at Swisher & Bender's. They do the best work and the cheapest. tf

Snow in some places in New Mexico has drifted as high as 35 feet. Nearly all the roads are blockaded and cattle are suffering.

There are said to be 20,000 cases of la grippe, or influenza, in St. Louis, although the disease is milder than it was last year.

W. Pinniger has on exhibition at his pharmacy the latest designs in Xmas goods, just received from Chicago. Everyone invited to inspect them. tf

A man with a handkerchief over his face entered a faro-room at Marysville, Cal., Wednesday evening, and at the point of a pistol secured $275.

An Italian, dangerously sick with small-pox, who had been hidden by his friends was discovered by the Newark health authorities, the other day.

Pennsylvania counties will probably have to expend $200,000 for ballot boxes and booths with which to put in operation the modified Australian ballot law.

Mrs. Lavinia M. Harris, a wealthy widow at Los Angeles, has been driven into insanity by "Spiritualists," according to the statement of a sister of the unfortunate lady.

At Thurston's you can get a very handsome Xmas present for your wife, daughter, son or best girl. Charley has the handsomest stock on the coast to select from.

The best arranged bath house and barber shop in the State; porcelain tubs and stove in each room. Comfort during the winter season. Try one and you will be satisfied at C. Coleman's. tf

Dr. Buzard, a San Francisco veterinary surgeon, has just returned from San Luis Obispo county, where he finds that anthrax, a malignant and contagious disease of cattle, is very prevalent.

Be sure to get Hood's Sarsaparilla if you want an honest, reliable medicine. Do not take any other which is alleged to be "about the same" or "just as good." Insist upon having Hood's Sarsaparilla, which is peculiar in itself. Sold by all druggists. Try it.

Diner—"Here, waiter, I ordered corn-beef and cabbage and you have brought me only the meat." Waiter—"De cigar, sah, will be on latah." Had he bought his cigars of Marcus Fredrick they would have been on time.

New evidence is said to have been discovered in the Ivett murder case in Merced county, Cal., that is strongly corroborative of the testimony given against Olsen, the brother-in-law of the murdered man, who was tried for the offense and acquitted. "Sensational developments" are, as usual promised by the detectives.

AGAINST BULL BUTTER.

Dairymen Appeal to the Federal Government for Help.

The Dairymen's Union of San Francisco, numbering 70 per cent. of California's butter producers, has petitioned the Washington authorities to stop the large illegal traffic that is going on in that State in oleomargarine. They say that 60,000 pounds of the stuff comes there every year, and that most of it is sold as butter, and of course without the required oleomargarine stamp. The union men say that dairy property, hitherto an important industry of that State, is very much depreciated on account of this oleomargarine traffic.

Home Talent Mask Ball.

Don't forget the Masquerade Ball at Armory Hall Christmas night. Admission 50 cents. Look out for the prize list.

For best dressed gent, silver and gold mounted individual table stand; best dressed lady, silver and gold mounted jewel case; most original character (gent), silver pickel caster; most original character (lady), silver tooth-pick holder; best group of gents (6 or 8), box of "Rough Diamond" cigars; best group of ladies (6 or 8), plush lined case with set of silver spoons.

A Preventive for Croup.

We want every mother to know that croup can be prevented. True croup never appears without a warning. The first symptom is hoarseness; then the child appears to have taken a cold or a cold may have accompanied the hoarseness from the start. After that a peculiar rough cough is developed, which is followed by the croup. The time to act is when the child first becomes hoarse; a few doses of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy will prevent the attack. Even after a rough cough has appeared the disease may be prevented by using the remedy as directed. It has never been known to fail. 50 cent and $1 bottles for sale by J. B. McCullough, druggist.

Highest of all in Leavening Power.—Latest U. S. Gov't Report.

Royal Baking Powder

ABSOLUTELY PURE

VALUABLE GOLD WATCH AND CHAIN,

Set With Diamonds, To Be Given Away New Year's.

I have a very fine 14k ladies' or gentleman's gold watch, Elgin movement, that I will present to someone as a New Year's present. It is a beauty—worth $90—and can be seen at my store from this date until New Year's at 9 A. M., at which time the fortunate individual can claim and receive his own.

Briefly told, this is the way I propose to do it: The watch will be presented to the person receiving the largest number of votes. The coupon, as seen below, will be found in the GAZETTE every evening, and can be cut out and filled in and deposited in the box at the entrance of the GAZETTE office before the close of the contest. *I will give one vote for every dollar's worth of goods purchased at my store during the contest.*

Extra copies of the GAZETTE can be procured with the ballot at any time on application at that office. The watch will be given to the one receiving the largest number of votes on the date and hour above stated. Now who shall it be?

RICHARD HERZ, Reno, Nev.

A record of votes will be published in the GAZETTE every evening.

This Coupon is Good for

ONE VOTE

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RICHARD HERZ'S

Watch - Contest!

To the person receiving the largest number of votes before January 1st, 1892, Richard Herz, dealer in watches, clocks and jewelry, will present a $90 Gold Watch and Chain.

Dec. 18. Void after Dec. 31st.

I am now prepared to show you the finest line of watches, diamonds, jewelry and silverware ever shown in town.

The watch may be seen in my show window.

List of Votes in the Contest:

Berry, Miss Minnie	144
Burton, Mrs. M. E.	13
Coffin, Frank	36
Cobb, L. D.	30
Fredrick, Marcus	672
Godfrey, Victoria	12
Hurff, Miss L. E	20
Henley, Mrs. J. D.	701
Kerth, Louis	482
King, Oscar	14
Norcross, C. A	58
Short, Miss Frances	42
Shaver, John	1792

Another Strike at Pine Nut.

The *News* says Carson is wild with excitement over a prospect recently discovered in the Snow Flake claim at Pine Nut by Joe Raycraft. The Snow Flake is situated about a mile and a half from the Zirn diggins. The ore taken from this claim is unlike that extracted from the Zirn mine, and, according to the theory of old Bodie miners who examined the specimens, somewhat resembles that taken from the famous Bodie mine of years ago. The ore was extracted from a straight shaft eighteen feet deep, which is connected by a three-foot ledge containing similar quarts, and it is thought an immense body will be found.

Disturbing the Peace.

"Fair Play" has a communication in this morning's *Journal* about the drunken women alluded to in last evening's GAZETTE. They were not arrested for being drunk and making a show of themselves on Commercial Row, but for disturbing the peace of the Salvation Army.

Special Meeting.

A special meeting of the Women's Guild of Trinity Church will be held at the residence of Mrs. Wm. Pinniger on Saturday, December 19th at 2 o'clock. By order of the President.

Range Cattle.

Geo. W. Mapes tells the GAZETTE that cattle on the ranges at the north never looked better. He said he could gather good beef and veal from his High Rock range now.

Improving.

George Jameson, who was caught on the Verdi bridge the other day by a passing locomotive and lost a foot, is resting easily at the County Hospital and is doing nicely.

French Tansy Wafers.

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PERSONALS.

Billy Cobb is down from Verdi today.

Geo. W. Mapes returned last night from Oregon.

Governor Colcord and wife came up from below this morning.

Professor Thurtell of the University left for San Francisco last night.

George Thaxter, the Carson druggist, came up from below this morning.

D. L. Bliss and son Evan came down form Carson last night and went east this morning.

Miss Agnes Hall, well known in Reno, was married on the 16th inst. at her home in Eureka.

Improving.

From George Thaxter, who came up from San Francisco this morning, the GAZETTE learns that Hon. S. C. Wright, of the Mint, who has been in poor health for a year or two is rapidly regaining his health and will be soon as good as ever.

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Probate Notice.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada in and for Washoe county.

In the matter of the estate of Petro Martenoni, deceased.

J. V. Peers, administrator of the estate of Petro Martenoni, deceased, having filed in this court, a petition, setting forth among other thing that he has filed his final account of the administration of said estate and that the same has been duly settled and allowed; that all the debts and expenses of the administration had been duly paid, and that a portion of said estate remains to be divided among the heirs of said deceased, and praying, among other things for an order of distribution of the residue of said estate to the persons entitled. The alleged heirs are: Mortima Martenoni, Maria Martenoni, Catherino Martenoni, wife of L. Frigo, and George Martenoni; all residing in Switzerland, and the court having fixed saturday, the 16th day of January, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M. of said day, at the Courthouse, in Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, as the time and place of hearing said petition.

Notice is hereby given that all persons interested in the estate of said deceased, be and appear before the District Court in and for said Washoe County, at the courtroom thereof, in Reno, Nevada, on said Saturday, January 16th, 1892, at 10 o'clock A. M., of said day, then and there to show cause, if any they have, why a order of distribution should not be made of the residue of said estate, among the heirs of said deceased, according to law.

O. H. PERRY, Clerk.

By W. L. Knox, Deputy.

Dated Dec. 16, 1891. dec16w4

BLACK ART.

A Magician on Modern and Old-Time Magic.

The Best Tricks Are Those Requiring the Least Apparatus—Some Amusing and Mystifying Performances.

"Very few additions of importance have been made to the repertory of the professional magician within recent years," said an expert in prestidigitation to a Washington Star reporter. "The new tricks all require elaborate mechanical contrivances. It may be that they draw the public for awhile, but they do not furnish lasting attractions. Take the 'vanishing lady,' for example. In its way it was a wonderful thing, and the mechanism necessary was elaborate and costly; but every one knew that the woman must necessarily disappear through a trap in the stage, and the only mystery lay in the cleverness with which the feat was accomplished. Here was no illusion, properly speaking, nor anything to excite wonder. A trick, to be really worth anything, must be seemingly a miracle, inexplicable to the mind of the spectator.

"The best tricks are those requiring the least apparatus. No feat of magic ever attempted on the stage has created a more profound sensation than did the famous 'sphinx' when it first appeared in Europe. Even the scientific men went wild over it. It was the first thing of its kind ever seen, and for a long time no one suspected that the body to which the talking head belonged was concealed behind two mirrors that stood at an angle with each other beneath the table. The extreme simplicity of the means used for deceiving was the most effective point. But the performer is most successful when he employs for the purposes of legerdemain everyday articles, such as people are accustomed to. Audiences are always entertained to see rabbits, guinea pigs and other articles taken off-hand out of the hat of the fat gentleman who has been so imprudent as to take a front seat near the middle aisle.

"This sort of trick is much more simple and easily performed than you may suppose. I descend from the stage and borrow a silk hat from any gentleman who will give me one. The first things to be taken from the hat are already concealed on the inside of my coat. As I turn and regain the stage, with my back for a moment to the spectators, I quickly drop these articles into the hat. Then I face the audience once more and draw the things out one by one, exhibiting much surprise. Some live animal may come first, because it is desirable to dispose of that as quickly as possible. Next, perchance, I pull out a wig, which always excites a roar of laughter. The other articles to be brought forth have been previously done up in many compact little bundles. Sometimes a single small package contains a quantity of hen feathers so tightly done up that when they are shaken out there seem to be enough of them to fill a mattress. Each bundle is so fixed that its wrapping can be disengaged in a second.

"Having pulled out of the hat all the things which have been previously taken from under my coat and put into it, I go to a shelf under pretense of brushing the tile, and incidentally slip a number of other articles into it. Then I come down toward the audience as if for the purpose of returning the borrowed stovepipe, but suddenly pause and begin to draw out of it many things several times the size of the hat, such as bird-cages, trunks, and so forth, all of which are so made that they close up in very small compass. The springs that hold them in shape are released as each one is taken out. Of course, a trick like this requires a great deal of practice and skill, but its effectiveness is almost wholly due to the fact that it is performed with so commonplace an object as a borrowed silk hat. Perform a seeming miracle with a broom, a brick, or anything else that is exceedingly commonplace and familiar and your feat excites infinitely more wonderment than if it were accompanied with an elaborate mechanical contrivance. When the Pharaoh's magicians turned their walking-sticks into snakes they knew how to impress most strongly the minds of observers."

NAPOLEON AS A SMOKER.

One Trial of the Weed Was Enough for Him.

Although in later life Napoleon was a votary of the snuff-box, he was never known to attempt smoking but once. The Persian ambassador having presented him with a magnificent oriental pipe, he wished to give it a trial. After being instructed how to proceed, he desired his attendant, Constant, to light it. It was accordingly properly charged and lighted. But scarcely had he drawn a mouthful, when the smoke, which he did not know how to expel from his mouth, turned back by his palate, penetrated into his throat and came out by his nose, nearly blinding him. As soon as he recovered breath he exclaimed: "Take that away—what an abomination! The brutes! My stomach is quite upset!" In fact, he was so annoyed for more than an hour that he renounced forever all desire to try the experiment again.

A Substitute for Steel.

An odd cargo of African vegetable fiber, tough as steel itself, is being landed in Philadelphia from the Italian bark Nuova Mondo. The vessel brought two thousand two hundred and thirty-six bales of it from Oran, an Algerian seaport in the Mediterranean sea. The fiber has been found to be so elastic that it can be used as a substitute for springs and the like in the manufacture of furniture back sand seats. It is expansive and so easily affected by higher temperatures in its dry state that the bales are held in place by bands of heavy steel. The peculiarity of the grass is that it thrives only around the volcanic mountian slopes of Oran and flourishes up to within a short distance of the craters themselves. The latter are always in a semi-active state, and the earth around is so warm that not a plant of any kind can thrive or is ever seen to grow except this steel-like plant. When dry and flattened out it will pierce a body like an arrow.

A CURIOUS BULLET.

The Queer Missile Found in an Old Soldier's Leg.

A curious missile was recently cut out of the limb of a prominent citizen of Mount Sterling, who was wounded in that member in the first battle of Manassas, says a letter in the Philadelphia Times. This citizen, Maj. James Morrison, has suffered from periodical breaking out of the wound, which was situated in the calf, but, though probed for several times, all attempts to find the ball proved unsuccessful. However, the doctors succeeded in recovering and removing the irritating body, when it was found to be no bullet, but a small gold button. This was cleaned and was found to be inscribed with the legend: "E. to R. Mizpah," in small German lettering.

The button was perfectly round and about the size of a buckshot, having a small link attached, by which it was caught to a garment or watch chain, on which it was in all probability worn as a charm. In all likelihood it was hastily crammed into the owner's musket when out of ammunition and in an emergency, Maj. Morrison naturally prizes this memento which he has carried thirty-one years, but says he will return it to the man who fired it if he still lives and can relate the circumstances under which he made use of it, which circumstances were such as to impress the major, and cannot have failed to have remained in the mind of his assailant.

The button was in all probability the loving gift of some fair young sweetheart or faithful wife to her beloved boy in blue, who will be glad to recover the pretty trifle, which is none the worse for its long hiding in the major's leg, though the latter is decidedly better for its removal, and is rapidly healing since the operation.

A Cargo of Snakes.

A curious live cargo landed in Hamburg. It consists of a collection of snakes and serpents made by the agents of a naturalist in that city. For the purpose of transit they were placed in long coffin-like cases, with holes bored for ventilation and feeding. When unpacked they became much excited. Some of the assistants, in endeavoring to recapture them as they wound themselves round posts and stair balusters, sustained bites, which, however, have not proved serious. Some of the larger ones also took to swallowing the smaller fry. The demand for them from zoological societies, snake-charmers and others appears to be considerable.

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